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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph on page 6, line 6, as follows:

In the first step 208 of the never-ending loop the sub-functions preselected in step ~~206-208~~ are performed for each channel to use. Then the capacity, e.g. as given by the number of instructions used or the time required, for performing the presented subfunctions in the preceding step 208 is calculated in the next step 210. Thereupon the capacity needed to perform the remaining sub-functions is calculated in a block 212. The remaining sub-functions can then be performed in accordance with the available capacity left after performing the preselected subfunctions.

Please amend the paragraph on page 12, line 6 as follows:

3) Double-talk detection, requiring 50 instructions;[[,]] and